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SIR:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is a Response to the Office Action dated August 20, 2007.

Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time in which to respond to the office action dated August 20, 2007, for which a response period expiring on November 20, 2007 was set. The extended period expires on December 20, 2007.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$120.00 extension fee and any additional fees (or credit any overpayment) required to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. A copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

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